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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DECEMBER 20 (legislative day, DECEMBER 18), 2001

Received and referred to the Committee on Armed Services

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## CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

Recognizing and commending the excellent service of members of the Armed Forces who are prosecuting the war to end terrorism and protecting the security of the Nation.

Whereas among the first military units to make this transition to wartime operations was the USS Enterprise Battle Group, which, on September 11, 2001, while en route back to the United States from a scheduled peacetime deployment, was immediately re-deployed to conduct operations against terrorists;

Whereas elements of the Army, Navy, Air Force, and Marine Corps began deploying to the theater of war to secure bases and support combat operations as early as September 19, 2001; and

Whereas since then, not only have the special operations and conventional forces of all the services performed magnificently, but the members of the Armed Forces have repeatedly demonstrated an extraordinary level of commitment and professionalism: Now, therefore, be it

1       *Resolved by the House of Representatives (the Senate*  
 2 *concurring)*, That the Congress recognizes and commends  
 3 the excellent service of all in the Armed Forces who are  
 4 prosecuting the war to end terrorism and protecting the  
 5 security of the Nation.

Passed the House of Representatives December 20, 2001.

Attest:

JEFF TRANDAHL,  
*Clerk.*